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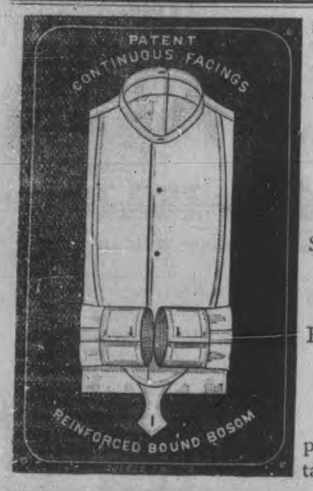


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## CITY OF CHICAGO STRANDED.

### A Big Atlantic Steamship Strikes on the Rocks off the Coast of Ireland.

### Passengers Rescued and Taken up the Cliffs—Hope for the Vessel's Escape.

LONDON, July 2.—Advices this morning from Kinsale Head, where the steamship City of Chicago was wrecked on the rocks last evening, states that the passengers are safe. During the night the vessel's propeller was worked ahead to keep her from drifting off the rocks on which the stem was caught, in which event she must have foundered, as the forward compartments are reported completely stove in. The signals of distress were answered promptly by the Kinsale life crews, and the passengers were landed on the beach under the cliff by the aid of coast guard crews. Meanwhile rope ladders were lowered from the top of the cliffs, which at this point are 200 feet high and almost perpendicular. Up these ladders climbed many of the passengers, aided by the coast guard men. One woman, who clasped a baby in her arms, dropped it while climbing, owing to faintness. A cry of horror was changed to joy as the infant was caught in the strong arms of a sailor who saw the mishap. Two hundred of the passengers climbed the face of the cliffs, while others with nerves less strong were made comfortable for the night in rude tents hastily put up on the beach or in boats. A number of which had been attracted to the scene by rockets. This morning the passengers and mails were transferred to Queenstown on tugs whence most left for London at 11:35 to-day. There were 130 saloon, 140 second cabin and 90 steerage passengers. Examination this morning shows the steamer nearly half on the ledge and bumping heavily. The crew is aboard, and the Liverpool officials say they expect the vessel to float to-night. The cargo is very valuable, including a vast quantity of wheat and meat. The Chicago was signalled off Brow Head at 4:45, and after passing Cape Clear saw nothing until she struck. It was 8 o'clock when the lookout shouted "Breakers ahead," and at that instant the bow ran into a cavity of the cliff with a crash that threw many to the floor of the cabin. Splendid discipline prevailed. Capt. Radford and the officers allayed the panic among the voyagers, and all prepared courageously for further perils possibly in store, which could not then be discerned owing to the dense fog.

## PROVINCIAL NEWS.

### NEW WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 2.—Lizzie Kelly, aged 20, daughter of Rev. S. Kelly, has fallen sick of smallpox. There are five members in the family, and the house has been quarantined. The infected place is just outside the city limits.

An Indian named Moody was fined $10 in the police court for celebrating Dominion Day by getting drunk.

The majority of the citizens of Westminster spent Dominion Day in Vancouver. A large number went up to Harrison Hot Springs. The town was quite deserted.

### NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, July 2.—Dominion Day was celebrated in this city yesterday in a superior manner. Although the steamer City of Nanaimo took a large crowd with the Nanaimo band, and was followed by the steamer Cutch with the Northfield people, still there were plenty left to enjoy the sports in our own city. The Methodists collected en masse and held a picnic on Newcastle Island, but the principal feature of the day was the Caledonian picnic held on their own grounds, which had been specially prepared for the occasion. The pipers were present in large force, and the tartan dresses were conspicuous. A good list of sports was gone through, and a number of gold and silver medals awarded, but what interested the visitors mostly were the dances given in Highland costume while an interval would occur. The following were the most interesting events of the day: Sword dance in costume, 1st, Mr. A. Beaton, Victoria, gold medal; second, J. Davidson, Victoria, silver medal. Highland fling, in costume, 1st, A. Beaton, gold medal; 2nd, Master J. R. McKenzie, Victoria, silver medal. Highland fling for girls—1st, Amy McKenzie, Victoria, gold medal; 2nd, Oliver Strahan, Victoria, silver medal. Best dressed boy in Highland costume—1st, Master J. R. McKenzie, silver medal; 2nd, Willie Mortor; 3rd, Kenneth McDonald. Best dressed girl in Highland costume—1st, Amy McKenzie, silver medal; 2nd, Olive Strahan; 3rd, Maggie McDonald. The judges were J. A. McDonald, D. C. McKenzie and John Taylor. In the evening dancing was carried on in the dancing pavilion (and by the way, the latter is a splendid structure) and highly enjoyed. The Caledonians have shown a wonderful progress within the last year and their picnic yesterday threw the sports held here on the 24th of May completely in the shade.

The following are the official returns for the month of June:—

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| Duty | $4221 90 |
| Sick men's dues | 164 36 |
| Copyright | 12 25 |
| Oil inspection | 35 00 |
| Miscellaneous | 39 50 |
| Total | $4,473 01 |

The total for the fiscal year ending June 30th amounts to $75,645.16.

The shipments of coal to foreign ports for the month of June show a steady increase over the previous months of the year. The New Vancouver Coal company lead with 30,042; Wellington shows very little increase, their shipments being 14,344; East Wellington, 965; Union, which closed down during the last half of the month, reached the figures of 8965. Just now there is only one vessel in the harbor, but there is quite a number on the way, so that the exports of coal during the present month may be augmented considerably.

### VANCOUVER.

The Telegram says than an arrangement has been completed by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for the construction of a steam tramway from Vancouver to Lulu Island. The line has already been surveyed, and the work of construction will commence within 30 days. The line will run within a short distance of the Granville street road, which leads to the bridge connecting the mainland with Sea Island, and will cross the latter within a short distance of the river, and will terminate within half a mile of the present bridge. The Vancouver terminus will be somewhere in the neighborhood of the Granville street bridge. It is the intention of the company to bridge the Fraser in the near future, and to extend the road to Ladner's and other points on the river, ultimately connecting with New Westminster. The track will be the regulation width, substantially built, and will be constructed with a view to using it as a continuation of the main line, instead of the present road from the junction. All the land owned by the railway company along the proposed tram line will be laid out in blocks of from one to five acres, and will be placed on the market at reasonable prices to actual settlers.

The following prices were obtained at a sale of fruit at the market: Cherries, $1.20 to $1.25; oranges, $3.50 to $3.75; lemons, $6.20 to $6.45; apples, $2.15 to $2.35; peaches, $1.25 to $1.30; apricots, $1 to $1.20; plums, $1.75 to $1.80 per box; gooseberries, 8 to 10 cents, and strawberries 10 to 12½ cents per pound. A quantity of new potatoes were disposed of at from $1.50 to $1.60 per sack, and fresh roll butter at from 25 to 26½ cents per pound.

A decision by Judge Bole is of interest to creditors generally. The case was Balkwell vs. Couth and C. P. R. Co. Judge Bole summed up as follows: Mr. Couth was indebted to the Bank of British Columbia in a considerable sum of money. The C. P. R. were at the same time owing Couth the sum of $1100 or thereabouts. In order to secure the same the bank applied to Mr. Couth to transfer and assign that debt to them, and in carrying out that a lengthy conversation took place between the manager of the bank, Mr. Couth and Mr. Armstrong. As the result of that conversation and the surrounding circumstances, I find that on April 23rd, 1892, Mr. Couth made a good equitable assignment to the Bank of British Columbia of all the money then due him by the C.P.R.; that the written order given was given to the C.P.R. as an evidence of such equitable assignment for their protection; that when the garnishee summons was served on the 25th of April, there was no longer any claim existing at suit of Mr. Couth against the C.P.R. which he, Couth, could honestly enforce, and complying with the principles laid down in Davis vs. Freithy, 59 L.J., Q.B. App., p. 318, namely, that the garnishee order only binds so much of the debt owing the debtor from a third party as the debtor can honestly deal with at the time when the garnishee order is obtained. His Honor accordingly gave judgment against the plaintiffs, and stayed garnishee proceedings.

The body of the young woman who committed suicide by jumping off the Westminster Avenue Bridge, was found floating in the water at the foot of Cambie street Friday morning. It was the body of Edith Edgar.

### Another Cyclone.

MASON, Neb., July 2.—At 7:30 o'clock last evening this town was visited by a cyclone which left destruction in its wake. The wind blew from the southwest and people who had been watching the cloud were warned in time to get to places of safety. The residences of J. H. Melville, J. A. Payne and J. M. Amber were almost completely destroyed. The Methodist and Baptist churches and a new brick school house were torn to pieces, and Payne's meat market building, Jarborf and Elliott's hardware store, blacksmith shop and livery barn and two unoccupied building all on Main street, were destroyed. The fronts of A. B. Worrell's dry goods store, Chase Bros., drug store, Transcript office building, and Duck's store, were also badly damagd.

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## SEIZED ON THE HIGH SEAS.

### Canadian Supply Steamer Coquitlam Arrested by American Authorities.

### A Preconcerted Scheme—Will Hinder Sealing Operations—The Catch.

By the excursion steamer Queen, which arrived at Nanaimo from Alaska yesterday morning comes the news that the sealers' supply steamer Coquitlam, flying Canadian colors, was seized on June 22nd at Port Etches by the U. S. revenue cutter Corwin, in command of Captain Hooper, for an alleged violation of the American revenue laws.

The Coquitlam left for the north with a full cargo of supplies on June 9th and reached the first rendezvous, Tonki Bay, Afognak Island, on the 18th. Twelve schooners were found there, six of which were towed to sea and provisioned and the skins taken aboard the Coquitlam. The supply steamer reached Port Etches on Wednesday morning, June 22nd. On the way up from Tonki Bay, all the schooners met warned Captain McLellan, of the Coquitlam, that Port Etches was full of American cruisers and seized schooners. These reports were not believed, although they put the Captain on his guard. On reaching Etches Captain McLellan went ashore to find what truth there was in the rumor. The mate of the Coquitlam, Mr. Freeman, had a letter to the commander of any warship that might be in port asking if the Coquitlam could come in, get water, and instruct the schooners to come out and get their provisions. Seventeen schooners, but no men-of-war were found in the harbor. The Coquitlam's officers were informed that several war ships had called some days before, the U.S.S. Yorktown having left the day previous. The commanders of the warships told the schooner captains that they could remain in port as long as they pleased, at the same time serving official notice on all the boats not to enter Behring sea. This information being deemed satisfactory by Captain McLellan, he brought his steamer into the inner harbor and distributed mail to the schooners. To all demands for supplies Captain McLellan turned a deaf ear, although several of the captains insisted that there was not the slightest danger. It was finally decided that the day should be spent taking on water, and that next day all the schooners could be provisioned outside the three mile limit, and transfer their skins.

About midday of the 22nd, as the work of watering the Coquitlam was going forward, the U.S. mail steamer Elsie steamed in and moored a short distance from the Coquitlam. At this time the latter's hatches were off, the crew being busy transferring coal to trim ship. No freight of any kind had gone over the side. It is suspected that an officer of the Corwin was aboard the Elsie, for during the afternoon the vessel steamed out, and an hour or so afterwards the Corwin entered the harbor and cast anchor close to the Coquitlam. She sent away a boat in command of second lieutenant Quinnan, who a moment afterwards boarded the Coquitlam and placed a guard on her hatches, on the bridge, and another to see that no boat approached the ship. On examination of the ship's log and papers he professed to be surprised at the absence of a manifest. Captain McLellan explained the matter, there being no definite port of call it was unnecessary to carry a manifest. Captain McLellan then denied the statement made by Lieut. Quinnan that he had discharged any cargo. The naval officer then informed the captain that he had broken the law in towing the schooners out of American waters at Tonki and transferring cargo within six miles of shore. He took the ship's books and papers and went aboard his own vessel. Captain McLellan was sent for and informed that the Coquitlam was under seizure and should proceed to Sitka next day. Lieutenant Quinnan and Assistant Engineer Brereton, with a prize crew of six, took charge of the vessel, but left the working of her to her own crew. An accident to the machinery, detaining her a few minutes after the appointed time for sailing, 6 a. m., Captain Hooper of the Corwin signalled: "Leave the harbor instantly or you will be dismantled." Repairs having been executed, the Coquitlam left immediately. She arrived at Sitka June 26th and found the harbor full of American ships of war. Being Sunday the transfer was not made until the next day, when the officers and crew were allowed leave, but instructed not to go out of town.

The American authorities will prosecute the principal charge against the Coquitlam—towing vessels out of an American port, discharging cargo and receiving sealskins in American waters. This has reference to the Tonki Bay affair.

Willoughby Clark, of Sitka, has been retained by Captains McLellan, Grant and Kelly to defend for the Coquitlam. The Queen arrived at Sitka Monday afternoon.

Among the accidents in the sealing fleet the most melancholy was the drowning of Captain McDougall of the schooner Pioneer. He was out after seals with the mate and the cabin boy off Fairweather grounds, on May 13th. They were lost sight of and nothing more was heard of them until a searching party picked up the boat with the mate clinging to it. The mate said that the captain, in the morning, stood up in the bows and tried to shoot a seal. He upset the boat. The whole party laid hold of the boat. The boy dropped off first, the captain later in the afternoon. Captain McDougall was 40 years of age, a native of Maitland, Nova Scotia, and had lived several years in Victoria. He was well known and highly respected in shipping circles. He leaves a widow.

A singular accident occurred aboard the Nova Scotia sealer Arieties on June 15th on the Portlock bank. A fog was coming on and Angus McDonald, seaman, was ordered to fire the signal gun to recall the boats. He loaded the piece with the usual charge and fired. The cannon burst, a fragment tearing out the entrails of Kanady, an Indian hunter who stood by, killing him instantly. The Indians were found making ready to kill McDonald, when Captain Douglas, of the schooner came aboard. They threatened to kill all on board if McDonald was not handed over to them. They were disarmed and quieted down and the body of Kanady was taken ashore at Tonki and embalmed. The Indians were pacified when informed that it would be sent to Clayoquot on the Libbie. The gun was made in Victoria and was of very inferior material, being rotten and honeycombed. McDonald was not to blame.

James Pendle, mate of the Penelope is reported drowned while hunting off Tonki Bay. Captain Stewert has been suffering from an abscess in his left hand, but is recovering. The whaler Northern Light had her bows stove in a gale off Middleton Island some weeks ago. She was repaired.

The schooners Henry Dennis, Willard Ainsworth, Geneva and Anaconda were at Sand Point when last spoken, and the Undaunted, Emma Fillitz and Dawn at Kodiak.

### THE CATCH.

The following are the catches of the schooners as far as learned. The catches of the Cox and Maud S. are for the whole year:

Carlotta Cox, 2042; Viva, 1656; E. B. Marvin, 1600; Walter E. Earle, 1225; Mary Taylor, 942; C. H. Tupper, 900; Sapphire, 900; Carmolite, 879; May Bell, 815; Maud S., 958; Umbrina, 707; Beatrice, (Van.) 701; Ainoka, 700; Ocean Belle, 709; Mischief, 669; Sea Lion, 629; C. D. Rand, 599; Agnes McDonald, 571; Annie C. Moore, 565; Mary Ellen, 560; San Diego, 558; Beatrice (Victoria), 500; Fawn, 472; Minnie, 470; Pioneer, 452; Walter L. Rich, 448; Sadie Turpel, 425; Arietas, 417; Brenda, 409; Geneva, 400; Katherine, 400; Teresa, 389; Mascotte, 335; Labrador, 330; Kate, 270; Ariel, 266; Dora Seiward, 235; Otto, 224; Oscar and Hattie, 171; Venture, 150; Wanderer, 130; Winnefred, 115; Libbie, 46; Willie McGowan, 40. American schooners.—La Nympha, 417; Willard Ainsworth, 400; Henry Dennis, 1860; Anaconda, 550; Undaunted, 328; Emma Felitz, 400; Dawn, 128.

### WHAT THE COLLECTOR SAYS.

Collector Milne was seen by a member of the TIMES staff this afternoon with reference to the capture of the steamer Coquitlam. Mr. Milne stated that he had telegraphed the particulars of the case to the department at Ottawa. Regarding the clearing of the Coquitlam for the north he said "She cleared for the North Pacific, as is usual in such cases. Before sailing, Captain McLellan called on me and asked me what I thought of his intended trip, if there was much risk, and so on. I said to him, 'Captain McLellan, as you have asked me frankly, I will as a friend of yours and a friend of the sealers tell you frankly that I think you run considerable risk in what you are going to do. You must not suppose for a moment that the American authorities are ignorant of what you are about. Their emissaries are here in Victoria and diligently keep the authorities supplied with everything that is going on. It is undoubted that they know your rendezvous, and perhaps much more of your business that would surprise you. Again, the northern seas are swarming with American warships ready for a chance to pounce upon any delinquent, however small, at a moment's notice.

This seemed to startle Captain McLellan, and he said, "You know where I am going, don't you?"

I replied, no, I do not, and do not tell me, for I might be called upon to reply to questions in reference to this that would be very unpleasant to answer. I don't want to know where you are going for that reason.

I then explained very carefully to him all the risks he ran in entering Behring Sea, in going inside the three-mile limit"——

"They've increased that to 12 miles, Mr. Milne," interrupted the newspaper man.

"I see they have; a most ridiculous claim it is too. I never in all my life heard of such a proceeding. On the east coast, as you well know, the Americans insisted on the three-mile limit in the dispute about the mackerel fisheries. The British Government proposed to make the limit, where there was a bay, from promontory to promontory, but no, the Americans insisted on the three-mile limit following the entire coast line. Why, out here off Flattery the three mile limit is observed on both sides, and why then should it be increased to four leagues in Alaska? Well, as I was saying, I fully acquainted Captain McLellan with all the risks he would run in attempting to join the sealing fleet or enter any port not a port of entry. I asked at the time why they could not make their rendezvous at sea beyond the limit. The American fleet on the Alaskan coast would be so divided as to completely patrol the entire expanse. Captain McLellan said he would consult the owners and let me know what they said. He did so and said they were willing to run the risk, so that of course settled the matter.

The Americans could seize the ship on a good many charges, first for being within the three mile limit, second for entering a port not a port of entry, third for towing vessels out of American waters, etc. I was very sorry to hear of the affair, as it will injure the business of the British sealing fleet this year very much. There seems no reason to doubt that it was a well laid plot to spoil the sealing for the season by simply cutting off the supplies, and thus compelling the schooners to come home. Of course the commanders of war vessels are not going to be very nice about discriminating as to where sealskins, found in the schooners or on board the Coquitlam, were taken. Beyond a doubt they were taken off this coast long before the schooners reached

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THE . . . . LATEST . . . . NOVELTIES IN **WALL PAPER** PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, ETC.

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## THE JUBILEE HOSPITAL.

**The Reports Presented at the Annual Meeting Held on Thursday Afternoon.**

**A Large Amount of Money Received and Expended—The Number of Patients Attending.**

At the annual meeting of the directors of the Jubilee Hospital held on Thursday the annual reports were read and adopted. The directors in the report state that they have been unable as yet to provide for the floating debt of $870.81, they being unsuccessful in their attempt to raise $25,000 on mortgage. The ambulance outfit contributed by Major Dupont is nearly ready for use. The report touches upon the aid rendered by the ladies' auxiliary in raising funds, and the directors hope that the future ladies' committee will be as energetic as the present. Dr. Richards, Miss Mowat, the matron, and the rest of the staff have given entire satisfaction. The complete drainage system has not yet been arranged, and the question of the corporation paying for city patients is still in abeyance. The directors close by thanking all donors for their assistance.

Mr. Wm. Chudley, the honorary secretary, in his report goes over the financial condition of the hospital as contained in the statement. The fiscal year commenced with a balance on hand of $12.30 and closed with a balance of $158.03. The hospital Sunday receipts, amounting to $701.57, he says may be considered fairly good, but might be considerably increased if ministers of some denominations would more cordially co-operate. The pay patient and donation lists have considerably increased, the latter being helped by the ladies' committee. Since the reports were made up Mrs. R. Dunsmuir has contributed $1000 and the tramway company $119.25.

The following is the statement of assets and liabilities:—

ASSETS.

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|---|---|
| By cost of land, now valued at $40,000 | $ 6,750 00 |
| By cost of construction to completion, $60,112 69, by cost of additions to date, $1,211 07 | 67,323 76 |
| By cost of furniture account to completion, $10,410 68; addition for the year, $1,296 76 | 11,697 84 |
| By cost of French Hospital valued at $8,000 00, rented at $100 per month to the City Council | 8,000 00 |
| | $93,771 60 |

LIABILITIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| To mortgage @ 7% per annum | $15,000 00 |
| To floating debt @ 8% grading, fencing draining and additions, $1,353 20 Furnishing accounts, $7,357 61 | 8,710 81 |
| To working accounts, supplies, etc | 8,499 80 |
| | $32,210 61 |
| To estimated surplus of assets | 61,560 99 |
| | $93,771 60 |

The receipts for the year were as follows:

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| To balance on hand at Bank of B.C. June, 1891 | $ 12 30 |
| Hospital Sunday collections— | |
| Christ Church Cathedral (Episcopal) | 239 60 |
| Christ Church, half offertory, " | 14 07 |
| St. James Church (Episcopal) | 35 00 |
| St. Saviour's Church " | 23 15 |
| St. Andrew's Church (Presbyterian) | 248 20 |
| Pandora street Church (Methodist) | 76 10 |
| Reformed Episcopal Church, offertory Thanksgiving Day | 65 45 |
| DONATIONS. | |
| Anonymous | 1,000 00 |
| Proceeds of two concerts of H.M.S. Warspite band | 125 00 |
| LADIES AUXILIARY. | |
| Proceeds of steamer excursion | 309 05 |
| Proceeds of ball at Assembly hall | 963 00 |
| President Joshua Davies | 1,163 75 |
| Hon. Forbes Vernon, TIMES libel suit damages | 200 00 |
| City Council Christmas donation | 20 00 |
| J. Pearson (Lytton) | 10 00 |
| A. Von Lokeren, France (annual) per Lowenberg, Harris & Co | 50 00 |
| A Friend, per W. C. Ward | 100 00 |
| Proceeds of drill entertainment by Mrs. W. Marvin | 171 50 |
| French Benevolent Society, donation (per J. Braverman) | 50 00 |
| Game of Cribbage, per H. M. Yates | 5 00 |
| Heisterman & Co., special donation | 100 00 |
| Proceeds of Pirates of Penzance performance | 261 15 |
| Collected by Miss Beeton towards a piano | 50 00 |
| Proceeds of Wolff concert | 17 50 |
| Mrs. D. A. McTavish, 9 mos donation towards a room | 187 50 |
| Collected from Hospital box | 38 58 |
| Do per C. Kent, City Hall box | 16 00 |
| Cash found on deceased free patients | 15 85 |
| Government grant, balance to June 30, 1891 | 625 00 |
| Government grant for 1891 to June 30, 1892 | 8,000 00 |
| City Corporation, 10 months' rent of Old Men's Home | 1,000 00 |
| Subscriptions, as per detailed list, collected by the Ladies' Auxiliary Committee | 2,316 35 |
| Cheques sent hon. treasury | 264 00 |
| Cash from pay patients | 7,539 45 |
| Total receipts | $25,312 55 |
| Total collected out of this by the Ladies' Auxiliary Committee: | |
| Steamer excursion | 309 05 |
| Assembly Hall ball | 963 00 |
| Subscriptions | 2,316 35 |
| Total | $ 3,588 40 |

The expenditure amounted to $25,174.52, leaving a balance of $158.03.

The resident surgeon presented the following report:

*To the President and Board of Directors:*

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to submit to you the following report of the work done in the Hospital during the year ending May 31st, 1892:

There has been a steady increase in the number of patients.

During the last winter it was necessary to refuse admittance to several patients on account of insufficient accommodation, and I fear there will be a much larger number of such cases next winter.

Many of the pay patients have come from distant places on the Island, Mainland and Sound, showing, I think, that the Hospital is gaining a widespread reputation.

It has been necessary to admit and care for several old men who could hardly be considered fit cases for hospital treatment, but in the absence of any provision by the city authorities they have had to be treated.

The Training School for nurses has been satisfactorily established, and we are indebted to those members of our medical staff who have sacrificed their time in delivering courses of lectures to the pupil nurses.

Our friends and visitors have been more generous than ever in their donations to the patients, and have earned our deepest gratitude.

The statistics for the year, June 1st to May 31st, 1892, are appended.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
W. A. RICHARDSON,
Resident Medical Officer.

SUMMARY OF PATIENTS.

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|---|---|
| Free patients | 244 |
| Pay patients at $30 per week | 34 |
| Pay patients at $15 per week | 125 |
| Pay patients at $10 per week | 69 |
| Total | 442 |
| Male patients admitted during the year | 350 |
| Female " " | 92 |
| Total | 442 |
| Number of in-patients treated | 442 |
| Number in hospital treated | 30 |
| Total | 472 |
| Number of out patients treated | 180 |

The following directors were elected in place of the six retiring ones: Chas. Hayward and A. Wilson re-elected, Messrs. James Dunsmuir, E. C. Baker, B. Gordon and Major Dupont. The new directors will hold their first meeting on Tuesday evening.

### Gazette Notices.

The following appointments were announced officially in the British Columbia Gazette issued on Thursday evening: J. Gilbert and F. Evans to be official stenographers to the Supreme and County Courts for Victoria and New Westminster respectively; G. A. Jordon to be Police Magistrate for Vancouver; E. C. Arthur, M.D., to be coroner for West Kootenay district, vice W. G. Allan, resigned; C. A. R. Lambly, of Osoyoos, to be a justice of the peace for Yale electoral district; C. W. Ireland, of Vernon, Thos. Spence, of Armstrong, and C. E. Costerton, of Enderby, to be notaries public for Yale; W. C. McMynn, of Rock Creek, to be revenue tax collector in the Osoyoos division of Yale district; E. T. W. Pearse, of Kamloops, to be assessor and collector under the Assessment Act, and collector under the Revenue Act for the Kamloops polling division of Yale electoral district, vice G. C. Tunstall; E. Walter, of Ganges Harbor, to be assessor and collector under the Assessment Act, and collector under the Revenue Act, for Salt Spring Island polling division of the Islands electoral district, vice Samuel Maxwell.

### Customs Returns.

The following are the customs returns for June:

IMPORTS.

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| Free | $ 26,883 |
| Dutiable | 213,321 |
| Total | $240,144 |
| Duty collected | $69,896 14 |
| Other revenues | 10,729 65 |
| Total | $80,625 79 |

EXPORTS.

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| Products of Canada | $ 91,115 |
| Not produce of Canada | 20,410 |
| Total | $111,525 |

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### *WANTED—A MODEL.*

TO THE EDITOR:—A polished writer in the News suggests that we should adopt a national model for any provincial buildings which the Government may decide to erect at James Bay. He points out that the state buildings throughout the United States are fashioned after the classic capital at Washington, and with a view to furthering the national idea here, he thinks we should copy the beautiful piles which overlook the Ottawa river. Beautiful, patriotic idea that! But as a standard of men is of more importance than a standard of buildings, as national honesty has more far reaching effects than national architecture, would it not be well to fix up some kind of a model for the country to build by. As the writer in the News is doubtless a Conservative, perhaps he will suggest who it should be, whether Chapleau, or Caron, or Haggart, or Langevin, or even Mercier, if qualified. To select either of these would be an injustice, however, to Premier Abbott, the ex-treasurer of the Pacific scandal fund, and who otherwise has every reason to consider himself a model of his party. A nice model for the new buildings over the bay would be a nice thing, no doubt, but it appears to me that a model for our public men is more important, and if we take the model from Ottawa, why should we not have a high old time like they did there? GOTHIC.

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For July 4th celebrations at Seattle and Tacoma the Puget Sound and Alaska steamship company will provide a double steamer service from here. Besides the City of Kington's regular trips, the City of Seattle will leave here at 7:30 Sunday morning, July 3rd, and at 6:30 Monday morning, July 4th. Breakfast will be served on board both Sunday and Monday mornings at 8 o'clock. Returning, City of Seattle will leave Tacoma and Seattle evening of July 4th after the fire works, reaching Victoria early Tuesday morning. *

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1200 yds, usual price 15 & 20c, all marked 10c.

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Regular price 35 and 40c, now 15c.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 8:00 a.m | *Lv Tacoma | Ar | 5:15 a.m. |
| 10:15 a.m | Lv Seattle | Lv | 3:00 a.m. |
| 1:30 p.m | Lv Pt Towns'd | Lv | 11:45 p.m. |
| 4:30 p.m | Ar Victoria | Lv† | 8:30 p.m. |

PORT TOWNSEND (MAIL) ROUTE.

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| 11:00 p.m | *Lv Seattle | Ar | 3:00 p.m. |
| 12:30 a.m | Lv Pt Madison | Lv | 2:10 p.m. |
| | Lv Kingston | Lv | |
| 3:00 a.m | Lv. Pt Gamble | Lv | 11:00 a.m. |
| 4:00 a.m | Lv Pt Ludlow | Lv | 10:00 a.m. |
| 6:00 a.m | Ar Pt Towns'd | Lv† | 8:00 a.m. |

SNOHOMISH RIVER ROUTE.

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| 7:00 a.m | *Lv Seattle | Ar | 2:00 p.m. |
| 8:45 a.m | Lv Edmonds | Lv | 12:30 p.m. |
| 10:30 a.m | Lv Muckilteo | Lv | 10:45 a.m. |
| 11:00 a.m | Lv Everett | Lv | 9:45 a.m. |
| 12:00 m | Lv Marysville | Lv | 9:30 a.m. |
| 2:00 p.m | Lv Lowell | Lv | 8:00 a.m. |
| 3:00 p.m | Ar Snohomish | Lv* | 7:00 a.m. |

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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

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## PROVINCIAL NEWS.

### VERNON.

The C. P. R. have replaced the washed-out portion of the line near Okanagan Lake with strong piling and trestle work.

The second kiln is being burned at the Vernon brickyard.

George Funck killed two very large bears on his Shuswap ranch on Saturday.

The S. & O. telegraph line only extends to Vernon; messages have to be forwarded to Okanagan station by telephone.

Thirty lambs have been killed by coyotes on Mr. Lunfby's ranch this spring.

At the meeting held on Saturday for the election of a school trustee in the place of Mr. Tronson, whose term had expired, Mr. J. W. Fuller was elected.

The prisoner, George Wandecott, who was sentenced on the 23rd ult. by Mr. Lumby for selling liquor to Indians at Kettle River, to six months' imprisonment, was allowed to escape at Enderby by Constable Jones. Jones was suspended by Mr. Lumby and the case was investigated at Armstrong on Saturday before Messrs. Fortune, Gibbs, Hamill, Graham and Wallace, J.P.'s, the former acting as chairman. The magistrates recommended the dismissal of Jones and that Mr. John S. Pringle be appointed constable for Spallumcheen.

An 18-pound trout was caught opposite Kelowna by Mr. Fable on Monday.

The bush fire east of Long Lake, two miles north of the "railroad," is spreading, and is now a mile in length.

A handsome silver tea service has been presented to Mrs. Dewdney by the ladies of Vernon, in recognition of her services as a church organist.

A tunnel has been run in 45 feet on Mr. Brewer's quartz ledge, Harris creek, and the ore is said to improve in quality. Capt. Shorts has located an extension on his claim.

On Thursday, 25th ult., J. Fleshman, traveling jeweler, of Medicine Hat, had his cases of jewelry (value $3000) stolen at Salmon Arm station. A man named Johnson was arrested on suspicion.

It is understood the Methodists intend building a church at Armstrong shortly. A suitable site has been selected and plans for the edifice are being prepared.

Messrs. G. E. U. Gleadowe and A. J. Rose, the British treasury officials who have been receiving the compensation claims of the sealers in the Behring Sea dispute, arrived in Vernon on Thursday and registered at the Coldstream. They spent a couple of days butterfly catching near Long Lake, and left on Saturday for Nelson on a short trip through the Kootenay lake country, previous to their return to England.

The Vernon News says: The construction of a canal connecting Okanagan and Dog Lakes, with a view of making the south end of the latter sheet of water the terminus of navigation, appears to be more probable than has hitherto been supposed. The scheme has the strong approval of the C.P.R., who, now that they have taken over S. & O. railway, have a direct interest in opposing the present wharf monopoly at Penticton, and will use their influence with the Dominion Government—generally supposed to be self-sufficient—towards inducing the latter to construct the canal next year, if not this season. There is little doubt that the canal would be of great benefit to lower country trade. It would add 13 miles of navigable water and render the mines at Fairview and the coal beds at White Lake especially easy of access. It would help materially to draw the trade of the lower country up north and thus be of great benefit to the province generally and to the mining community near the line in particular.

### NELSON.

Mr. C. E. Perry has completed the survey of the Hendryx group of mines. Pilot Bay, he says, is steadily progressing, and that a force of 150 to 200 men is working there regularly. Mr. Perry experienced some of the disadvantages caused by the frequent changes in the Mineral Acts. During this survey he was working under three separate acts.

As soon as supplies can be packed up the hill three shifts will be put on to develop this property.

Mr. C. S. Griffith, who represents the United Smelting and Refining works at Helena and Great Falls, is at Nelson, and is on the look out for ore, which he can ship down to his works. Mr. Griffith expresses himself as being very favorably impressed with the country, and says that in his opinion the Silver King mine alone could support a town of 5000 people.

Jim Wardner has bonded the Freddie Lee, a Slocan claim owned by Bill Springer, Martin Fry and A. D. Coplen, for six months for $20,000, of which 7½ per cent. has been paid down. Wardner is carrying around with him a sample of his rock which assays 6000 ounces. He is yearning to bet hard cash that he will ship ore to Tacoma before July 15th. Any takers?

Mineral claims recorded—Chieftain, M. J. McGrath, on the north side of Kootenay Lake; Lizzie, G. F. Edmiston, on the left fork of Anderson Creek, being an extension of the Byrd; St. George, H. G. Neelands, on the wagon road, 2½ miles southeast of Nelson. Transfers—Sundown, H. Selous to J. R. Cook, one-sixth interest; Chestnut, H. G. Neelands to T. J. Realty, W. H. Daly, G. W. Manning and W. Middleton, four-fifths interest.

On Wednesday a court of assize and general gaol delivery was held in Nelson by Judge Drake. On the grand jury being sworn in, the judge informed them that there were no criminal cases before the court. The county court sat next day. Two mining cases of importance were brought up. Shearer, Kent & Becker v. Chambers, involved a question of mining partnership. It was held that partnership was proved by prospecting together, grubbing together, staking claims in the joint and several names of the parties and by mutual understanding. In the second case, Hayes v. Anderson, the plaintiff wanted the court to declare his right to a certain prospect on the ground of prior location. He was non-suited on the following technical point:—The record bore that the claim lay to the right of blazed line from No. 1 post instead of to the right of line from No. 1 post to No. 2 post.

The trail from Eldorado to the mines is progressing but slowly. Last week the men at work left in a body to go prospecting, and no more can be hired, though $3.50 a day is offered.

The erection of sampling works at Nelson by the J. E. Boss outfit will depend on the output and development work done this year.

The Hill brothers came down from the head of Slocan Lake on Thursday, 16th, by way of Nakusp and Columbia river. It is their intention to start a sawmill at Wilson creek, four miles above Eldorado City. The machinery will come from Toronto, and the mill, when erected, will have a capacity of from twenty to thirty thousand feet a day. The price of lumber at present is $100 per thousand.

### SLOCAN.

No mail has arrived here for two weeks. Where is the postoffice inspector?

E. C. Carpenter, Jack McGillivray and Angus McGillivray have struck in near the Payne mine.

M. Selous has turned prospector, and located the Dispute, about a mile south from Seaton creek, near Bear Lake.

J. McGillivray has sold a one-half interest in the Grey Eagle to Mr. Wharton, who intends to go to work on it at once.

Forty-four claims have been recorded here since the record office was opened and A. Sproatt is doing a large business in poll taxes accordingly.

Mr. Wharton, who arrived here last week, located a claim called the Deadman, above the Noble Five, which shows good galena, running about 300 ounces.

At least six claims are being worked on in good shape in this vicinity. Steel, powder, etc., are scarce, though lots of both are waiting on the C. & K. track for shipment here.

J. Smith and Evans, late of the Halfway house, have made a new strike in a new place, 2½ miles from anyone else's stake. The direction is somewhere round Four-mile creek.

Judge Bond is lying in camp kicking about trails. The judge has a large outfit and means business, but can't get near the claims he has bonded, among which are the Seattle and Last Chance.

Charles Flaatz, Mike Grady and partner have struck it rich between Red Paddie creek and the Slocan Star group. They have two feet of fine ore showing all through one claim and croppings on two more claims.

H. Howson has located the Young Dominion about a mile south of the first forks. The ore is rich and shows up well for some distance. His "crowd" have located the Conductor, first extension. Queen Bess and Norah Darling are all round the Young Dominion.

### FAIRVIEW DISTRICT.

One of the latest excitements in the lower country is the rich strike made about four weeks ago by Mr. Robert Allison, who lives one-half mile above the junction of the Similkameen and Okanagan rivers, at the ferry. Near the falls of the river he located an immense body of free milling quartz, calling his claim the "Allison Mine." Sixteen claims have been staked off on the same vein. Mr. J. C. Dunn, who owns the controlling interest in the famous Black Bear and War Eagle mines, is also interested. This new strike has caused immense excitement among prospectors and mining men, who are staking out ground for miles around the vicinity of the discovery claim. The water at the falls of the Similkameen has sufficient power to run 500 stamps, and ore can be mined and milled at $1 per ton.

Two petitions are now in circulation in the lower country: One to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for the construction of a public wharf at Penticton; the other to the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, for the making of a canal to connect Okanagan and Dog lakes.

Messrs. Silverman and Barnhardt have struck very high grade ore on the east extension of the Rattler, and are developing the ledge. About five miles south of Fairview, on the same side of the valley, a large vein of free milling gold quartz was discovered last week.

A ten-stamp mill has been ordered for the Silver Crown.

Mr. Moffatt's hotel at Fairview is nearly finished.

There are about 200 miners at Fairview.

Mr. Stanton is making arrangements for putting on a fast stage line between Penticton, Fairview and Loomiston. He has little doubt that the trade between Sound ports and the mining towns in Okanagan country will pass through this way when the route becomes known. From Coulee City, on the N.P.R.R., freight has at present to be hauled the following distances: To Ruby 100 miles, Conconully 107, Loomiston 129, Golden 145 miles. From Penticton to Golden is only 40 miles, thus saving 105 miles of hauling over an indifferent wagon road. This list of distances is amply sufficient to show the advantages of the Canadian route. Instead of 2½ days staging, the passenger by the Okanagan lake route has only one day's pleasant drive from Penticton to Golden or Loomiston.

### ARMSTRONG.

Mr. Williamson has let the contract for a fine residence to Messrs. Cameron & Milne, of Vernon, to be built right away.

The sawmill is now employing fifteen hands. A large dry kiln has been put up.

It is reported that Mr. Jas. Crozier has sold his ranch to a new-comer for the sum of $5000.

On B. F. Young's ranch 150 acres are in crop—wheat, oats and barley.

G. Parkinson has 75 acres in crop.

### ENDERBY.

Mr. D. McIntyre, of the Columbia mills, has imported a splendid Hambletonian mare, "Imperial Queen," and filly from Calgary.

Two tame mosquitoes are being reared at the Enderby hotal. The majority of the inhabitants never saw a mosquito in their lives.

Messrs. Marwood & Parry have just burned their first kiln of brick—45,000.

A carload of horses was shipped to Brandon by Lambly Bros.

### FIRE VALLEY.

Altogether there are 60 acres in crop and 17 settlers in the valley. None of the fair sex have yet arrived, but three marriages are arranged for the fall, when a grand celebration will be held. The live stock, which last year consisted solely of two tom-cats and a rooster, is increasing. There are now some fine horses and a number of hogs.

Mr. Wm. Horan, who took up a preemption this spring east of Mr. Bangs, met with a painful accident last week. While building a house one of the logs fell on his leg, splintering it below the knee. He is being taken care of in Messrs. Lowe & Vail's house.

Messrs. Lowe & Vail have four acres in potatoes and the same amount in wheat. They are making a specialty of cabbage and expect to ship five tons to Nelson this fall. They have planted 50 fruit trees, all of which are flourishing.

Mr. J. Simpson, whose place lies between Lowe and Bangs', killed four bear in two weeks. Six bear have been shot this spring in the valley.

### OKANAGAN MISSION.

A small excitement was created at Penticton last Thursday by a drunken Siwash firing two shots with a rifle at another red man and a klootchman. He missed aim in both cases.

Several copies of a petition for the release of Knox are in circulation in various parts of the country.

Mr. H. Dell has been elected school trustee in place of Mr. Jas. Christien, who declined re-election

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jy26 d. A. BROWN, Secretary.

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1-1v Scribe E.

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oct9 K. of R. & S.

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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders of the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway Company for the election of Directors and other business will be held at the office of Messrs. Wilson & Wootton, Victoria, on Tuesday, July 5th, 1892, at 11 a.m.
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## THE CABINET.

The Hon. C. E. Pooley having taken a day to consider the request of His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, and having ascertained that the task of forming a cabinet was surrounded by grave difficulties and uncertainties, informed Mr. Nelson that he could not undertake the responsibility. In arriving at this decision, Mr. Pooley was undoubtedly influenced by the exacting engagements of a large and important clientele which could not be set aside in what would have been to him an agreeable arrangement of his immediate political future. The TIMES is not often astray in its readings of the provincial political horoscope, and it has further information to the effect that the Attorney-General failed to impress Mr. Pooley that he would be a loyal follower or even a willing colleague. There was staring him in the face, also, the dubious legacy of a discredited government, which has completely forfeited public confidence, and, as he well knows, has only maintained itself in power by the most disgraceful system of constituency-bribing that ever dishonored representative government. Mr. Pooley, therefore, wisely determined not to shoulder the terrible responsibility.

Hon. J. H. Turner, Minister of Finance, was invited to Government House, and it was surmised was asked to accomplish the task that Mr. Pooley had declined to undertake. Mr. Turner promptly replied that he did not aspire to the position of first minister, and in all probability suggested to His Honor the name of Mr. Theodore Davie. Mr. Davie, at all events, was immediately sent for, and at the moment we write is in conference at Government House with the Lieutenant-Governor. A failure upon the part of Mr. Davie to form an administration, will precipitate the crisis that, in any event, is imminent, while his success will embitter the situation and lead to a tremendous upheaval in every section of the province.

## A LAW UNTO THEMSELVES.

From all that has been said on the subject so far, the seizure of the steamer Coquitlam by the American cutter Corwin must be regarded as a violation of the international law. The act was evidently committed with the intention of hindering the sealing operations of the Canadian schooners, and not with any idea of conserving the United States coasting regulations. It is probable that so arbitrary and unjust a proceeding would have been undertaken by no nation of any prominence other than the United States and Russia. To semi-barbaric and wholly tyrannical Russia the move would seem most natural and matter-of-course, but Uncle Sam's blatant pretensions to be the friend par excellence of liberty and enlightenment make it appear most despicable and contemptible on his part. The United States Government has by its seizure of the Coquitlam offended not only against the owners of the steamer and against Canada, but against all other nations, for it has presumed to make a change in well-established international law without consulting any other government. The three mile limit has by general consent been made the extent of exclusive jurisdiction by any nation over the waters of the open sea; and how can the United States presume to change this to a 12 mile limit by its own volition? What other nation has given its consent to the change? There cannot be the slightest doubt that the Washington people have concocted this new rule for the special purpose of striking a blow at the Canadian sealers, an action which must be condemned, unless we are very much mistaken, by their own courts. If it is held to be good in law, then the Canadian Government should quickly test the utility of the new rule by seizing any Yankee vessel found fishing within 12 miles of the Atlantic coast of Canada. Very likely we should then see a sudden turnabout on the part of our American cousins, who are notoriously unwilling to see their own rules enforced against themselves. In the meantime the seizure of the Coquitlam ought to be made the occasion of a vigorous remonstrance from the British Government, who can hardly allow this outrageous act to go unchallenged. There must be some limit to American impudence.

## NO PREFERENTIAL DUTIES.

The inter-imperial preferential trade scheme has met with very poor encouragement from the Congress of Chambers of Commerce in London. Mr. Medley, an English delegate and a prominent free trade advocate, moved "That a Fiscal Union between Great Britain and her colonies by preferential duties, being based upon protection, would be dangerous and commercially disastrous, and that an arrangement that would best conduce to intimate commercial union would be for the self-governing colonies to adopt, as closely as circumstances will permit, the non-protective policy of Great Britain." Sir Charles Tupper offered an amendment declaring in favor of the adoption of a mutually preferential duty of 5 per cent. by Great Britain and the colonies. All Wednesday this was debated, and finally the amendment was voted down by 78 to 34. All the Canadian delegates but three supported Tupper's amendment. Sir Charles challenged the vote, claiming that each chamber of commerce represented should be polled as a unit, instead of the delegates voting individually. On Thursday a poll was taken on this basis, when the vote stood 57 against to 33 for the amendment. Mr. Medley's motion was then adopted. It is stated that Sir Charles Tupper next moved, seconded by a Jamaica delegate, "in favor of general free trade throughout the Empire," but just what that means is not very plainly apparent. The important point of the whole matter is that the vote on the first motion shows English feeling to be strongly against any preferential tariff scheme. From whatever source relief is to be obtained, that one is clearly out of the question.

## VERY STUPID.

The Colonist at times is very dull. The TIMES charged it with bad taste and presumption in advising the Lieutenant-Governor to call upon Mr. Pooley to form a cabinet. The eagerness with which the organ turned from a consideration of the dead premier's virtues to find among several rivals a leader acceptable to its editor, may be considered open to censure, or it may not, according to the views one holds. But there can be no two opinions about the impropriety of the Colonist's attempt to influence the representative of the Crown in making a selection. It was worse than bad taste—it was an impertinent interference with the prerogative of the Lieutenant-Governor, who should have been left free by partizans and factionists to make a selection of his own. The Colonist evades this side of our charge while justifying its haste in elevating a new leader to the throne of a dead one. This latter is a question for personal taste; but the impropriety of permitting the Colonist editor to constitute himself Adviser Extraordinary to the Lieut.-Governor, when there is no Ministry, is not open to debate. It is an assumption of a right that His Honor would not tolerate for a moment, and certainly he would not pay the slightest attention to the editorial nomination.

## AT THE POLICE COURT.

**W. F. Heath is Fined $50 For Neglecting to Take Out a License.**

Billy, an Indian, was up before Magistrate Macrae this morning charged with stealing a shawl from a friend named Maggie. He admitted the offence and was sent up to jail to work for two months.

Hong Yuen could not be persuaded into stating that the chimney of his house on Fisgard street was on fire on the 30th ult., but several witnesses convinced the court that there was more than smoke in Yuen's chimney, and the regular fine of $20 was imposed.

The charge against W. F. Heath, representing the Toronto Lithograph Co., of soliciting orders in the city without a license, which has been adjourned several times, came up for hearing at 11:30 this morning. The court adjudged the defendant guilty and imposed a penalty of $50 in addition to $50 for a license and $2 costs. Mr. Helmcken, who appeared for the defendant, gave notice of appeal.

## CHURCH NOTICES.

**Services in the Different Churches To-Morrow Morning and Evening.**

Christadelphian Hall, 209 Douglas street.—Sunday services at 11 a.m., Breaking of Bread; 7 p.m., reading. Subject: "What shall we do to be Saved, or Bible Truth in contrast to Popular Tradition." All welcome.

Church of Our Lord (Reformed Episcopal).—Morning service 11 a. m.; evening service at 7 p. m., preacher, Right Rev. Bishop Cridge; Bible class for young men at 10 a. m.; Sunday school and Bible class for young ladies at 2:45 p. m. Confirmation class for young men at bishop's residence at 2 p. m.; confirmation class on Thursday at schoolhouse for ladies at 4 p. m.

To-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock the Rev. Mr. Winchester will address the men at the Young Men's Christian Association. Those who attend will hear something good and receive a warm welcome.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES.

The following are the preachers in the churches to-morrow:

Christ Church Cathedral—At 8 a.m., Holy Communion; morning, the Rev. Canon Beanlands; evening, the Rev. J. B. Hewetson.

St. James' Church—Morning and evening. Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

St. John's—Morning and evening, the Rev. Percival Jenns.

St. Barnabas—Morning and evening, the Rev. G. W. Taylor.

St. Saviour's—Morning and evening, the Rev. W. D. Barber.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt—Morning, and evening, the Rev. S. C. Scholefield.

St. Mark's—Morning and evening, the Rev. W. H. P. Arden.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Morning, and evening, Rev. M. C. Browne.

Cadboro Bay—Afternoon at 3.

Provincial Jail—Morning, at 9:30.

Indian Reserve—Afternoon at 3:30.

Jubilee Hospital—Afternoon at 2.

Mrs. W. E. George and Miss L. George left for San Francisco this morning. Miss George is to be married in San Francisco on the 20th inst. to Mr. Geo. Langley.

Pilot Frances, who took the United States steamer Manzanita north, is in town spending a few days with his mother.

## SEIZURE IN BEHRING SEA.

(Continued from page 1.)

the sea, but that will not weigh with the naval officers, who will act according to their instructions.

The sealing schooner owners had not reached any definite plan of action this afternoon. There was some talk of consulting Admiral Hotham as to what should be done and one owner said that a peremptory demand for the release of the Coquitlan should instantly be made. A deputation is to wait upon the admiral as soon as he returns to Esquimalt. Another sealer said Admiral Hotham when seen last was in favor of the Americans, and had a wholesome respect for Commander Bob Evans.

THE SEALERS' REQUEST.

Telegrams were forwarded to Premier Abbott and Mr. Earle at Ottawa by the Sealers' Association, after a meeting at which the resolutions therein contained were unanimously passed. One was addressed to Premier Abbott, and asked that steps be taken for the Coquitlam's release. The other was sent to Mr. Earle, M.P., asking him to endorse this request.

The Premier was also informed that the steamer Islander leaves for Sitka, Alaska, to-morrow morning at 8, and many of the sealers think that a competent man should be sent north to look after their interests. No decision as to this had been reached when the TIMES went to press.

## THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

THE late cheese-paring economy towards postoffice employees has caused quite a disturbance amongst that long-suffering body. "From $50 to $42.50 is no joke," said a friend of mine to me yesterday; "the first was poverty in this province, the last is starvation." If the Ottawa Government would economise in the direction of useless red-tapeism, subsidizing absurd wildcat schemes and by reducing high paid officials, then few would object. Even Colonel Prior's patriotic soul would applaud the integrity and wisdom of the Government, but to reduce the present underpaid official's salary is simply scandalous. I hope our junior member will write another letter threatening resignation to "my dear Sir John", and stick to his guns, too!!! Victoria cannot spare his services for so long a time.

There are always plenty of people ready to suggest that "what Victoria wants, you know, is fresh industries. Manufactures, sir, ought to be started." Yes, but who is ready to start them; who has the requisite knowledge and capital? For instance, there is an abundance of roses grown in this vicinity, all kinds and in wondrous profusion is this lovely flower grown. Could not some enterprising chemist undertake the distillation of otto of roses? Tons of this fragrant favorite are now thrown away, or waste their sweetness on the desert air. Yet it produces a most lovely as well as most profitable perfume.

As in direct contrast to the previous paragraph, I may also suggest the hog industry. Years ago, when this country was more thinly populated, farmers on the island bred and fed more of these animals. But the price obtained was small, the market was limited, swine fever set in and numbers of producers sold out their stock and neglected the industry. To-day the position is entirely changed. Prices are high. I hear of nine and even ten cents per pound being paid. Market requirements are doubled or trebled, and the causes and cure for swine fever are better known and provided. Talking to a veterinary surgeon to-day he asserted that there is no more profitable portion of agriculture than hog raising. "Only," he said emphatically," the pigs must be kept clean and dry."

Who is to succeed the Honorable John Robson as Premier? If the matter was submitted to a plebiscite of the people, there is no doubt the choice would fall on the Honorable Robert Beaven, but our forms of procedure and precedent forbid his appointment. The general opinion seems to be that Mr. Pooley is the more suitable. A few suggest Mr. Turner, while still fewer incline to Mr. Theodore Davie. As a partizan I favor the latter, as he is the most likely to break up his own party, rouse opposition amongst the followers of Mr. Beaven and thus cause a quicker appeal to the country. Personally, I favor Mr. Turner, because he has the instincts of a merchant rather than those of a lawyer, and trade, commerce and manufactures would naturally find more sympathy from him than with the other two gentlemen. Yet, I doubt if any in the Legislative Assembly to-day will hold diverse interests and divergent opinions together as did the Honorable John Robson. Time will show, and meanwhile the Opposition should consolidate its own resources. QUIZ.

## SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

**Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.**

THE GUN.

CAPTURED EVERYTHING.

The Victoria Gun club carried everything before it at Vancouver yesterday, the only Victoria contingent that held up the home colors that day. The team shooting match Victoria vs. Vancouver was won by Victoria by a score of 93 to 87. The visitors received scant justice on the hands of their opponents; they had to shoot old style, from below the elbow, at unknown angles over five blue rock traps. In beating he Vancouver team the Victorians deserve great credit. Going up on the boat they got no sleep, and shooting on strange grounds and at unknown angles did not improve their chances. They were also minus three of their best men. All this seems to prove that the Vancouvers cannot shoot straight. In the sweepstakes, the Vancouvers agreed to the rapid fire system and were beaten very badly. The Victorians will give the Vancouver club good treatment when they come here.

Capt. P. Darkin, of St. Catharines, Ont., arrived last night and will be at the Driard for a few days.

## THE CITY AND DISTRICT

Sheffield cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

**Postponed.**

The festival announced to be held in the cathedral school next Tuesday has been postponed.

**High Grade Pianos.**

Newcombe pianos, six grades, just arrived at Kerr & Begg's bookstore, 45 Government street. *

**New Goods.**

Just received, Sinclair's bacon, hams and lard, and Armour's 49'er hams and bacon at R. H. Jameson's Red Front, 33 Fort St.

**It is True.**

If it is not right do not do it, if it is not true do not say it. In buying the Bush & Gert's piano you do right. It is true to say it is the best piano offered for sale in this market. Agency, 37 Fort street. *

**For the South.**

The steamer Umatilla left for San Francisco this morning with the following cabin passengers from Victoria: Miss Whitelaw, Mrs. Sypholt, C. Hewlett, H. Swan, J. C. Hiller, R. Pittock, Mrs. Charles Dillon, Campbell and Goss.

**The Angeles Excursion.**

Everything has been done to insure the comfort of the Angeles excursion party on Monday. Tickets are selling well. The steamer will make only one trip, leaving the C.P.N. Co.'s wharf at 9 a.m. A band will accompany the excursionists.

**The Queen.**

The steamship Queen, Capt. Carroll, arrived from Departure Bay early this morning, and left shortly before noon for the Sound. A number of the excursionists came down from Nanaimo yesterday and rejoined the Queen here this morning.

**Inland Revenue.**

The inland revenue returns for June are as follows:

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|---|---|
| Spirits | $ 6,525 22 |
| Malt | 3,953 08 |
| Tobacco | 1,967 38 |
| Liquors | 977 85 |
| Petroleum insp. | 169 80 |
| Rent of government land | 50 00 |
| | $13,643 33 |

**Bull's Body Found.**

The jury at a coroner's inquest held at Hope yesterday on the body of an Indian found in the Fraser river last Tuesday, brought in a verdict that the body was that of George Bull, and that he had been willfully murdered at Bridge Creek. The skull was smashed in, and there was a wound in the abdomen.

**The Bridges.**

It is expected that Point Ellice bridge will be re-opened for traffic in about a week or ten days. A gang of men are now at work putting in new beams, and when they are finished, said Engineer Wilmot, the bridge will be as strong as ever. The Gully bridge is still unsafe and hundreds of carriages and wagons cross it daily.

**Impure Water.**

At this season the greatest care should be exercised in obtaining pure water, which can be done only by using a first class filter. Owing to the large demand for these goods during the last week, the Sehl-Hast.e-Erskine Co., have obtained a complete line of silicated carbon filters in all sizes and shapes at prices which put them within reach of all. Inspection solicited. *

**Are Now Comfortable.**

Three little orphans were brought down from Nanaimo yesterday by conductor Coburn, and are now in the Protestant Orphans' Home, perhaps the most comfortable place they have ever entered. The trio range from three to seven years old and were taken away from a father who cares little or nothing for them, by the officers of the Home.

**The Creoles.**

Sam T. Jack's Creole show was witnessed by a large audience last night and won hearty applause. It is a very entertaining production and created plenty of merriment. The jokes while not juvenile are fit to go, and bring the laugh; the scenery and costumes are very fine and the music good. There are several first class specialties. Taken all in all the show is one that deserves patronage and there should be a packed house to-night.

**"The Midnight Alarm."**

As the title indicates, this play deals with the exciting incidents in the life of a fireman in New York, and is a cleverly constructed modern school drama, capable of rivalry with the strongest on the road. Cunningly contrived complications keep alive the interest and lead to conjecture as to how the author is to bring the tangled events in harmony with the desire of the audience. All this is happily brought about, and the curtain descends on a scene of happiness. The company carries expensive mechanical effects and scenery. Noticeable among these are the East River wharf set, the Brooklyn Bridge scene, Uncle Gideon's farm, the railroad draw-bridge, interior and exterior of Engine house No. 6, New York city. Conspicuous features are the living statue clock, flight of the lightning express, the midnight alarm, with the rush of a genuine fire engine and horses to the fire. A powerful and competent cast will interpret the piece. This play will be presented at the Victoria Tuesday night, July 5th.

**Almost a Catastrophe.**

Mr. Johnson, a colored resident of Spring Ridge, had a very exciting time on Thursday evening. He is in the habit of turning out his horse, "Bucephalus" to grass on the Lion Brewery grounds. The horse, by the way, is blind in one eye and has caused his owner considerable anxiety by persistently going too near the well to feed. He got there once too often, for he fell in and much trouble it took to get him out. One part of the well is about 60 feet deep. Mr. Fairbrother was instantly on the spot and started in to give the necessary instructions to the crowd which had assembled to rescue the poor animal, which was struggling violently. Fortunately it managed to get a foothold on one side, and by the aid of ropes and a strong pull from some of the bystanders it was eventually landed. Captain Mose, Captain Turpel, Captain Phil, Messrs. Robertson, Fairbrother, Gaudy, Murray, Phillips and Cox did their very best, and had it not been for their kindly assistance poor Johnson would now be in possession of a dead horse.

**A Candidate.**

Dr. Watt has declared his intention of contesting Cariboo in the election of a successor to the Hon. J. Robson.

**The China's Cargo.**

The Empress of China which is due next week from the Orient has 1,750,000 pounds of overland freight, 50 tons for Victoria, 100 tons for Puget Sound, 500 for Portland and some for San Francisco. She has 140 saloon passengers and 200 steerage passage, 100 of whom are for Victoria.

**They Will Build.**

At the first general meeting of the Okell & Morris Fruit Preserving Company held on Thursday evening, the following trustees were elected: Hon. J. H. Turner, S. M. Okell, W Morris, N. Shakespeare and Joshua Holland. Mr. Morris spoke of the necessity of providing better accommodation for the cannery and it was therefore decided to build on the company's wharf at Rock Bay.

**The Council and By-laws.**

The board of aldermen held two meetings after the TIMES went to press on Thursday, making three for the day. It was decided to expend $450 in repairing the old Deluge fire engine house and other small amounts for drainage and streets. The Victoria & Sydney Railway by-law came up again and several amendments were made in committee, after which the by-law was reported complete. The by-law to raise the allowance for the library from $1200 to $3000 was also reported complete with amendments. Nothing was done with the by-law to raise $100,000 for sewerage purposes. The Electric Light by-law was read a first and second time and progress was reported on the Market by-law.

**The Story Denied.**

PORT TOWNSEND, June 30.—Captain Anderson, of the steamer Bertha, who brought down from Alaska the officers and crew of the wrecked bark Alexander, makes an emphatic denial of the statement made by a sailor of the bark Alexander that the wrecked crew suffered from privations because of the indifference of the United States man-of-war in Behring sea. Captain Anderson says the cruiser Yorktown offered them passage to Unalaska, but they refused, preferring to await the Bertha. A good house, cooking utensils and plenty of provisions were supplied. Upon the arrival of the Bertha the men were reluctant to leave, because they had a good time, nothing to do on the island and plenty to eat. The government officials paid their fare to Unalaska and then to Port Townsend and board en route. The men said they never had a better time in their lives than while on the island, and would like to be wrecked again.

## ST. ANDREW'S HALL.

**Opened on Thursday Night—Resolution of Sympathy on Death of Premier.**

The new hall of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society was informally opened on Thursday night, a fair attendance of the members and a few visitors were present to participate in the event. Rev. M. C. Browne, of Cedar Hill, a genuine Irishman of cosmopolitan sympathies, at the request of the society, took the chair, and in a felicitous speech, in which he briefly dwelt on the aims of the society, the national virtues of the Scotch, and the enterprise of the society in building a hall, opened the new building and dedicated it to the purpose of philanthropy which the society is organized to promote.

President Robertson spoke briefly, and at his invitation, Police Magistrate McCrae and W. Templeman said a few words about the auspicious inauguration of the new building.

Mr. Templeman, referring to the death of the late Hon. John Robson, said that it would be fitting that he should move a resolution of condolence with the family of the deceased and expressive of the regret of the association at the death of a member so prominent in public life. Mr. P. E. Irving seconded the resolution, and spoke of the courtesy which he, as a subordinate in the law department of the Government, had always received from the late Premier. The secretary was instructed to send a copy of the resolution to Mrs Robson, properly attested.

Thos. Burns, president of the Benevolent Society, offered congratulations, and after a few remarks by Supt Sheppard and others the invitation to a cold collation in the ante-room was accepted, when the speaking was more fluent and general for a pleasant half hour or so. The following gentlemen participated.

E. Irving, song, "Annie Laurie"; Geo. Bishop, song, "My Ain Kind Dearie, oh"; President Fairbairn, of St. George's Society, song, "Room Enough for All"; A. J. Smith made a speech and sang "Auld Scotland's Hills"; P. Jamieson, song, "Auld Scots Sangs" and "Scotland's Glory" A. Tolmie, song, "Castles in the Air"; G. Walker, song, "O' a' the Airts the Win' can Blaw"; G. Bishop, song, "Philadelphia in the Morning"; T. Burns, speech; Dr. Renwick, song, "Laird o' Cockpen"; President Robertson, "One thing an' the 'tother"; Geo. Bishop, song, "Finnigan's Wake"; G. Fairbrother, speech, "Pioneers"; P. Jamieson, speech, "St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society"; G. Irving, speech, "Burns"; J. Colquhoun, speech, "Tannahill"; R. Irving, Druckel and H. McKay, speeches. Auld Lang Syne and God Save the Queen brought the festivities to a close.

Mr. W. Martius, graduate of the Kullak conservatory, Berlin, will receive pupils who earnestly intend to take thorough musical and technical instruction on the piano. No. 10 Blanchard street. w-s-tu

Florence Marvin, the impressional reader, who predicted the Seattle fire, is at the Balmoral, rooms 36 and 37. She comes here indorsed by thousands of Seattle citizens, who have tested her wonderful power in the last seven years. Parties wishing to know their future had better consult her. j28-6t

Irish's pine Montserrat lime juice, Rose's pure West Indian lime juice, and Thom and Campbell's lemon juice at R. H. Jameson's Red Front Store, 3 Fort street. *

A 1 shaving materials at Fox's.

## DOMINION DAY DOINGS.

**The Celebration at Vancouver Proves a Magnificent Affair in Every Way.**

**A Grand Musical Festival by a Thousand Children and Several Brass Bands.**

**The Lucky Vancouver Boys Win a Double Victory in the Lacrosse Field.**

It seemed as if the heavens were against the celebration at Vancouver yesterday, but the weeping skies could not dampen the ardor of the plucky people of the Terminal City, and there were many friends assembled there to make merry on the 25th anniversary of the great Dominion. Visitors were present in large numbers from the other cities of the province, and the steamers and trains reaped a rich harvest, while the hotels were taxed to their utmost to provide accommodation. As usual the youth and beauty of Victoria was well represented there, and enjoyed themselves as they well knew how. H.M.S. Warspite was anchored in the harbor, gaily decked in her brightest bunting, and the officers band and boys in blue of the big boat helped materially to enliven the celebration.

The proceedings proper began at 10 o'clock in front of the Hotel Vancouver, a grand musical festival being the first number on the programme. The Vancouver band opened the festivities by playing "Vive la Canadienne" and "God Save the Queen." At a bugle call 1000 school children, who had assembled on a grand stand in charge of their teachers, as one voice sang "The Maple Leaf." The effect was magnetic and they were greeted with the wildest applause. "May God Bless Thee, Canada," "The Red, White and Blue," "The Union Jack" and the national anthem were also sung by the children with equally good effect. The Nanaimo band followed with a choice selection of Scotch airs, which elicited enthusiastic applause. The Vancouver band contributed a number of airs, and Westminster's famous Artillery band brought the festival to a close with a number of English melodies.

Rev. J. W. Pedley was the orator of the day, and in a neat speech of five minutes ably performed the duties devolving upon him.

AT BROCKTON POINT.

After noon hour there was a grand rush for Brockton Point, where the games of lacrosse between the two teams of the Victorias and Vancouvers were billed to take place. Excellent ferry accommodation was provided and fully 5000 people were soon surrounding the field in which the games took place. The intermediate tweles were the first to line up, the teams being:

| Vancouver | | Victoria |
|---|---|---|
| J. Quann | goal | Fairall |
| A. McGillivray | point | Drysdale |
| E. Morency | cover point | J. Sprinkling |
| F. Miller / R. Ralph | defence field | J. Patterson / J. Dempster |
| J. Rounsfell | | R. Clark |
| J. Hawman | centre | F. Cusack |
| T. Dunsmore / W. Miller | home field | D. J. King / Wedingham |
| K. Campbell | | J. Miller |
| W. A. Boultbee | outside home | F. Cullin |
| A. H. Webster | inside home | C. McNeil |

The Victoria boys were noticeably from the first, the Vancouvers by superior team play rushing the ball on the flags, and scoring four games to one in an hour and five minutes. In the third and fourth games the Victorians showed up to much better advantage and no doubt would have a chance to win if they would get out and practice together. Boultbee, Webster and Campbell scored for the Vancouvers and McNeill for the Victorias.

THE GREAT EVENT

of the day was the senior lacrosse match, Vancouver vs. Victoria. It was one of the most hotly contested and finest exhibitions of the game ever seen in the province, although the Vancouvers were weakened by the loss of Higginbotham and the Victorias were playing without W. H. Cullin and Dan Tudhope, who have contributed not a little to the success of the team in the past. The teams were:

| Victoria. | | Vancouver |
|---|---|---|
| Blain | goal | Meyers |
| Eckhart | point | Suckling |
| C. Cullin | cover point | Cheney |
| Belfry / Grant / McLeod | defence field | Spain / Peard / Quan |
| Blight | centre | Smith |
| Van Allen / Kenning / Ditchburn | home field | Nicholls / McGregor / Quigley |
| Frost | outside home | Draper |
| Tite | inside home | Swift |
| W. Cullin | captain | J. Smith |

The work throughout was very fast, and to chronicle all the brilliant plays would fill a book. Throughout the Vancouver boys played a good game, the old reliable Boney Suckling spanning, Swift and Quigley showing up the best. From Blain in the flags, who equaled his friends, most sanguine expectations, up to Tite the Victorias played a brilliant game. The defence was simply superb, from Ross Eckhart, who did very effective work, out to Jim Moody, who though it was his first match with the seniors, played one of the best games on the field, giving his pick Nicholls no show at all. Charlie Cullin, put up even a better game than usual, while Grant and Belfry also played excellent lacrosse. Blight, who undoubtedly is the best centre in the Province, excelled himself, playing a magnificent game even after he was laid out with a blow on the temple. The team was a little light, but they worked liked Trojans, and when Van Allen was changed to first home made things very lively around the Vancouver flags.

The first game was won by Victoria, Blight as usual drawing the band, placing it near the Vancouver flags. Suckling secured it and sent it to the other end of the field. Ross Eckart cleverly carried it out of a scrimmage and sent it down to Ditchburn who scored. Time five minutes.

The second game was faster still this time the Vancouver team holding it well, when Dave Smith ran in after securing the sphere sent it through Victoria's flags. Time 2½ minutes.

In the third game the ball trailed from one part of the field to the other for 50 minutes. Quann fainted after running into the fence, and again fell after colliding with McLeod's stick. Blight was laid low with a blow the temple, while Frost had his nose tapped twice and Swift bled from a wound on the forehead. Swift finally scored for Vancouver, after some pretty play by the victors.

The battle was fast and furious in the fourth. Grant in this game distinguished himself. He carefully carried the ball out from a scuffle, made a great run up field, passed it to Frost, and he to Tite, who shot it through the flags in 18 minutes.

The fifth game and the match was won by Vancouver, the time being 6 minutes, McGregor swiping it through on a drop from Swift. For six minutes more the game was continued, the Victoria boys making a determined effort to score, very near succeeding several times.

RIFLE MATCH.

At Moodyville the team from Vancouver defeated a team from the Warspite, the score standing, Vancouver 677 and Warspites 627.

The cricket team sent over from Victoria also suffered defeat at the hands of the Vancouver club team. The score stood 188 to 90. For Vancouver Saunders made 74 and Holt made 31 for Victoria.

In the evening the citizens held a ball in the city hall, which proved a decided success.

TO DAY'S EVENTS.

VANCOUVER, July 2.—The celebration was very successful. Over 10,000 people witnessed the sports. A drizzling rain partly spoiled the musical festival. The Indians gave the usual illumination on the water last night on the Inlet. The citizens' ball was largely attended at the Opera House. The regatta occurred this morning. The two paddle race was won by Springer. The four oared senior race was contested by two clubs; Burrard Inlet crew, (Henderson stroke) won. The junior four oared, was contested by the same clubs; Vancouver Club (Bowell stroke) won. Three entered for the single scull professional; Murray first, Williams second. Indian canoe races and men-of-war boat races were warmly contested. The yacht races were not concluded at 1 o'clock. The bicycle races, cricket match and big gun contest for birds is in progress.

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This loan forms the first and only charge against the municipality, which so far as yet assessed is valued at $481,874. A large part of the area of the municipality has not yet been settled on or assessed.

The object of the loan is to enable the Council to provide new roads and the formation of these will enhance the value of the whole land considerably.

The subscriber will supply any further information that may be desired and offers for the debentures—which may be for the whole or any number of them—must be lodged with him on or before the 8th day of July next.

The Council will not be bound to accept the the highest or any tender.

ALEXANDER PHILIP,
Financial agent.
46 Lorne Street, New Westminster. je30-3t

# KASLO CITY

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SINCE the opening of navigation many hundreds of people have poured into Kaslo City. The discoveries of last fall have proved as rich as expected, and many new ones, fully as important, have been located this spring. The Kaslo-Kootenay Land Company have built roads and trails into the important mines, and surveys have been completed for the railway. The contract for clearing the right-of-way for the latter will be let in a few days. Many substantial buildings have been erected so far this year, and a large number will be begun immediately, including a handsome hotel.

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Dated the 25th March 1892. mh26-tf

## DR. TALMAGE ON THE ATLANTIC.

### He is on His Way to Witness the Arrival of Breadstuffs for Famished Russians.

### But He Does Not Forget His Newspaper Readers—Significance of "Departure."

BROOKLYN, June 19.—Rev. Dr. Talmage is now on the Atlantic, having sailed from New York on the 15th inst. for Liverpool for a preaching tour in England, Scotland, Ireland and Sweden. Before visiting Sweden Dr. Talmage will go to Russia, there to witness the reception and disposition of the cargo of breadstuffs on board The Christian Herald relief steamship Leo, which sailed last week for St. Petersburg. Previous to his departure he dictated to his stenographer the following farewell sermon, to be read by the vast and widely scattered audiences whom it is his weekly privilege to address through the medium of the newspaper press. He took his text from II Timothy iv, 6, "The time of my departure is at hand."

Departure! That is a word used only twice in all the Bible. But it is a word often used in the courtroom, and means the desertion of one course of pleading for another. It is used in navigation to describe the distance between two meridians passing through the extremities of a course. It is a word I have recently heard applied to my departure from America to Europe for a preaching tour to last until September. In a smaller and less significant sense than that implied in the text, I can say, "The time of my departure is at hand."

Through the printing press I address this sermon to my readers all the world over, and when they read it I will be in mid-ocean, and unless something new happens in my marine experiences I will be in no condition to preach. But how unimportant the word departure when applied to exchange of continents as when applied to exchange of worlds as when Paul wrote, "The time of my departure is at hand."

Now departure implies a starting place and a place of destination. When Paul left this world, what was the starting point? It was a scene of great physical distress. It was the Tullianum, the lower dungeon of the Mamertine prison, Rome, Italy. The top dungeon was bad enough, it having no means of ingress or egress, but through an opening in the top. Through that the prisoner was lowered, and through that came all the food and air and light received. It was a terrible place, that upper dungeon, but the Tullianum was the lower dungeon, and that was still more wretched, the only light and the only air coming through the roof, and that roof the floor of the upper dungeon. That was Paul's last earthly residence.

I was in that lower dungeon in November, 1889. It is made of volcanic stone. I measured it, and from wall to wall it was fifteen feet. The highest roof was seven feet from the floor, and the lowest roof five feet seven inches. The opening in the roof through which Paul was let down was three feet wide. The dungeon has a seat of rock two and a half feet high and a shelf of rock four feet high. It was there that Paul spent his last days on earth, and it is there that I see him now, in the fearful dungeon, shivering, blue with cold, waiting for that old overcoat which he had sent for up to Troas, and which they had not yet sent down, notwithstanding he had written for it.

If some skillful surgeon should go into that dungeon where Paul is incarcerated, we might find out what are the prospects of Paul's living through the rough imprisonment. In the first place he is an old man, only two years short of seventy. At that very time when he most needs the warmth, and the sunlight, and the fresh air, he is shut out from the sun. What are those scars on his ankles? Why, those were gotten when he was fast, his feet in the stocks. Every time he turned, the flesh on his ankles started. What are those scars on his back? You know he was whipped five times, each time getting thirty-nine strokes—one hundred and ninety-five bruises on the back (count them!) made by the Jews with rods of elm wood, each one of the one hundred and ninety-five strokes bringing the blood.

Look at Paul's face and look at his arms. Where did he get those bruises? I think it was when he was struggling ashore amid the shivered timbers of the shipwreck. I see a gash in Paul's side. Where did he get that? I think he got that in the tussle with highwaymen, for he had been in peril of robbers, and he had money of his own. He was a mechanic as well as an apostle, and I think the tents he made were as good as his sermons.

There is a wanness about Paul's looks. What makes that? I think a part of that came from the fact that he was for twenty-four hours on a plank in the Mediterranean sea, suffering terribly, before he was rescued, for he says positively, "I was a night and a day in the deep." Oh, worn out, emaciated old man! surely you must be melancholy; no constitution could endure this and be cheerful. But I press my way through the prison until I come up close to where he is, and by the faint light that streams through the opening I see on his face a supernatural joy, and I bow before him, and I say, "Aged man, how can you keep cheerful amid all this gloom?" His voice startles the darkness of the place as he cries out, "I am now ready to be offered, and the time of my departure is at hand."

Hark! What is that shuffling of feet in the upper dungeon? Why, Paul has an invitation to a banquet, and he is going to dine today with the king. Those shuffling feet are the feet of the executioners. They come and they cry down through the hole of the dungeon: "Hurry up, old man. Come, now; get yourself ready." Why, Paul was ready. He had nothing to pack up. He had no baggage to take. He had been ready a good while. I see him rising up, and straightening out his stiffened limbs, and pushing back his white hair from his furrowed forehead, and see him looking up through the hole in the roof of the dungeon into the face of his executioners, and hear him say, "I am now ready to be offered, and the time of my departure is at hand."

Then they lift him out of the dungeon, and they start with him to the place of execution. They say: "Hurry along, old man, or you will feel the weight of our spear. Hurry along." "How far is it," says Paul, "we have to travel?" "Three miles." Three miles is a good way for an old man to travel after he has been whipped and crippled with maltreatment. But they soon get to the place of execution—Acquæ Salvia—and he is fastened to the pillar of martyrdom. It does not take any strength to tie him fast. He makes no resistance.

O Paul! why not now strike for your life? You have a great many friends here. With that withered hand just launch the thunderbolt of the people upon those infamous soldiers. No! Paul was not going to interfere with his own coronation. He was too glad to go. I see him looking up in the face of his executioner, and, as the grim official draws the sword, Paul calmly says, "I am now ready to be offered, and the time of my departure is at hand." But I put my hand over my eyes. I want not to see that last struggle. One sharp, keen stroke, and Paul does go to the banquet, and Paul does dine with the king.

What a transition it was! From the malaria of Rome to the finest climate in all the universe—the zone of eternal beauty and health. His ashes were put in the catacombs of Rome, but in one moment the air of heaven bathed from his soul the last ache. From shipwreck, from dungeon, from the biting pain of the elmwood rods, from the sharp sword of the headsman, he goes into the most brilliant assemblage of heaven, a king among kings, multitudes of the sainthood rushing out and stretching forth hands of welcome, for I do really think that as on the right hand of God is Christ, so on the right hand of Christ is Paul, the second great in heaven.

HE CHANGED KINGS.

He changed kings likewise. Before the hour of death, and up to the last moment, he was under Nero, the thick necked, the cruel eyed, the filthy lipped, the sculptured features of that man bringing down to us to this very day the horrible possibilities of his nature—seated as he was amid pictured marbles of Egypt, under a roof adorned with mother-of-pearl, in a dining room which, by machinery, was kept whirling day and night with most bewitching magnificence, his horses standing in stalls of solid gold, and the grounds around his palace lighted at night by its victims, who had been bedaubed with tar and pitch and then set on fire to illumine the darkness.

That was Paul's king. But the next moment he goes into the realm of him whose reign is love, and whose courts are paved with love, and whose throne is set on pillars of love, and whose scepter is adorned with jewels of love, and whose palace is lighted with love, and whose lifetime is an eternity of love. When Paul was leaving so much on this side the pillar of martyrdom to gain so much on the other side, do you wonder at the cheerful valedictory of the text, "The time of my departure is at hand?"

Now, why cannot all the old people have the same holy glee as that aged man had? Charles I, when he was combing his head, found a gray hair, and he sent it to the queen as a great joke, but old age is really no joke at all. For the last forty years you have been dreading that which ought to have been an exhilaration. You say you most fear the struggle at the moment the soul and body part. But millions have endured that moment, and may not we as well? They got through with it and so can we.

Besides this, all medical men agree in saying that there is probably no struggle at the last moment—not so much pain as the prick of a pin, the seeming signs of distress being altogether involuntary. But you say, "It is the uncertainty of the future." Now, child of God, do not play the infidel. After God has filled the Bible till it can hold no more with stories of the good things ahead, better not talk about uncertainties.

But you say, "I cannot bear to think of parting from friends here." If you are old, you have more friends in heaven than here. Just take the census. Take some large sheet of paper and begin to record the names of those who have emigrated to the other shore; the companions of your school days, your early business associates, the friends of midlife and those who more recently went away. Can it be that they have been gone so long you do not care any more about them, and you do not want their society? Oh, no. There have been days when you have felt that you could not endure another moment away from their blessed companionship. They have gone. You say you would not like to bring them back to this world of trouble, even if you had the power. It would not do to trust you. God would not give you resurrection power.

Before tomorrow morning you would be rattling at the gates of the cemetery, crying to the departed: "Come back to the cradle where you slept! Come back to the hall where you used to play! Come back to the table where you used to sit!" And there would be a great burglary in heaven. No, no. God will not trust you with resurrection power, but he compromises the matter and says, "You cannot bring them where you are, but you can go where they are." They are more lovely now than ever. Were they beautiful here, they are more beautiful there.

A PLACE OF REJUVENATION.

Besides that, it is more healthy there for you than here, aged man; better climate here than these hot summers and cold winters and late springs; better hearing, better eyesight; more tonic in the air; more perfume in the bloom; more sweetness in the song. Do you not feel, aged man, sometimes as though you would like to get your arm and foot free? Do you not feel as though you would like to throw away spectacles and canes and crutches? Would you not like to feel the spring and elasticity and mirth of an eternal boyhood? When the point at which you start from this world is old age, and the point to which you go is eternal juvenescence, aged man, clap your hands at the anticipation, and say, in perfect rapture of soul, "The time of my departure is at hand."

I remark again, all those ought to feel this joy of the text who have a holy curiosity to know what is beyond this earthly terminus. And who has not any curiosity about it? Paul, I suppose, had the most satisfactory view of heaven, and he says, "It doth not yet appear what we shall be."

It is like looking through a broken telescope. "Now we see through a glass darkly." Can you tell me anything about that heavenly place? You ask me a thousand questions about it that I cannot answer. I ask you a thousand questions about it that you cannot answer. And do you wonder that Paul was so glad when martyrdom gave him a chance to go over and make discoveries in that blessed country?

I hope some day, by the grace of God, to go over and see for myself; but not now. No well man, no prospered man, I think, wants to go now. But the time will come, I think, when I shall go over. I want to see what they do there, and I want to see how they do it. I do not want to be looking through the gates ajar forever. I want them to swing wide open. There are ten thousand things I want explained—about you, about myself, about the government of this world, about God, about everything.

We start in a plain path of what we know, and in a minute come up against a high wall of what we do not know. I wonder how it looks over there. Somebody tells me it is like a paved city—paved with gold; and another man tells me it is like a fountain, and it is like a tree, and it is like a triumphal procession; and the next man I meet tells me it is all figurative. I really want to know, after the body is resurrected, what they wear and what they eat, and I have an immeasurable curiosity to know what it is, and how it is, and where it is.

Columbus risked his life to find this continent, and shall we shudder to go out on a voyage of discovery which shall reveal a vaster and more brilliant country? John Franklin risked his life to find a passage between icebergs, and shall we dread to find a passage to eternal summer? Men in Switzerland travel up the heights of the Matterhorn with alpenstock and guides and rockets and ropes and, getting half way up, stumble and fall down in a horrible massacre. They just wanted to say they had been on the tops of those high peaks. And shall we fear to go out for the ascent of the eternal hills which start a thousand miles beyond where stop the highest peaks of the Alps, when in that ascent there is no peril?

A man doomed to die stepped on the scaffold and said in joy, "Now, in ten minutes I will know the great secret." One minute after the vital function ceased the little child that died last night knew more than Jonathan Edwards, or St. Paul himself, before he died. Friends, the exit from this world, or death, if you please to call it, to the Christian is glorious explanation. It is demonstration. It is illumination. It is sunburst. It is the opening of all the windows. It is shutting up the catechism of doubt and the unrolling of all the scrolls of positive and accurate information. Instead of standing at the foot of the ladder and looking up, it is standing at the top of the ladder and looking down. It is the last mystery taken out of botany and geology and astronomy and theology.

Oh, will it not be grand to have all questions answered? The perpetually recurring interrogation point changed for the mark of exclamation. All riddles solved. Who will fear to go out on that discovery when all the questions are to be decided which we have been discussing all our lives? Who shall not clap his hands in the anticipation of that blessed country, if it be no better than through holy curiosity crying, "The time of my departure is at hand?"

I remark again we ought to have the joy of the text, because, leaving this world, we move into the best society of the universe. You see a great crowd of people in some street, and you say: "Who is passing there? What general, what prince is going up there?" Well, I see a great throng in heaven. I say: "Who is the focus of all that admiration? Who is the center of that glittering company?" It is Jesus, the champion of all worlds, the favorite of all ages.

Do you know what is the first question the soul will ask when it comes through the gate of heaven? I think the first question will be, "Where is Jesus, the Saviour that pardoned my sin; that carried my sorrows; that fought my battles; that won my victories?" O radiant one! how I would like to see thee! thou of the manger, but without its humiliations; thou of the cross, but without its pangs; thou of the grave, but without its darkness.

TALK WITH JESUS.

The Bible intimates that we will talk with Jesus in heaven just as a brother talks with a brother. Now what will you ask him first? I do not know. I can think what I would ask Paul first if I saw him in heaven. I think I would like to hear him describe the storm that came upon the ship when there were two hundred and seventy-five souls on the vessel, Paul being the only man on board cool enough to describe the storm. There is a fascination about a ship and the sea that I never shall get over, and I think I would like to hear him talk about that first.

But when I meet my Lord Jesus Christ, of what shall I first delight to hear him speak? Now I think what it is. I shall first want to hear the tragedy of his last hours, and then Luke's account of the crucifixion, and Mark's account of the crucifixion, and John's account of the crucifixion will be nothing, while from the living lips of Christ the story shall be told of the gloom that fell, and the devils that arose, and the fact that upon his endurance depended the rescue of a race, and there was darkness in the sky, and there was darkness in the soul, and the pain became more sharp, and the burdens became more heavy, until the mob began to swim away from the dying vision of Christ, and the cursing of the mob came to his ears more faintly, and his hands were fastened to the horizontal piece of the cross, and his feet were fastened to the perpendicular piece of the cross, and his head fell forward in a swoon as he uttered the last moan and cried, "It is finished!" All heaven will stop to listen until the story is done, and every harp will be put down, and every lip closed, and all eyes fixed upon the divine narrator until the story is done; and then, at the tap of the baton, the eternal orchestra will rouse under on string of harp, and lips to the mouth of trumpet, there shall roll forth the oratorio of the Messiah, "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive blessing and riches and honor and glory and power, world without end!"

What he endured, oh, who can tell,
To save our souls from death and hell!

What there was between Paul and that magnificent Personage only the thinness of the sharp edge of the sword of the executioner do you wonder that he wanted to go? O my Lord Jesus, let one wave of that glory roll over us! Hark! I hear the wedding bells of heaven ringing now. The marriage of the Lamb has come, and the bride hath made herself ready. And now for a little while goodby! I have no morbid feelings about the future. But if anything should happen that we never meet again in this world, let us meet where there are no partings. Our friendships have been delightful on earth, but they will be more delightful in heaven. And now I commend you to God and the word of his grace, which is able to build us up and give us an inheritance among all them that are sanctified.

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## THE HOLIDAY IN VICTORIA.

**The Picnics at the Different Resorts Around the City.**

The weather yesterday was not all that could have been desired, but Victorians had made up their minds to enjoy themselves and they were to all appearances successful. The first batches to leave the city were those who went to Saanich to attend the farmers' annual basket picnic. The people of Saanich, of course, had a good time and those city folks who spent the day with them were well treated. Sports and games of all kinds were indulged in.

It was raining during the afternoon at Langford Plains, where the union Sunday school picnic was held, but that did not deter the picnickers from having a good time. There were about 1000 people on the grounds enjoying the sports that the younger members of the party were taking part in. The strangers who went out during the day were made to feel thoroughly at home and enjoyed themselves as well as those who for years have attended the annual picnic.

At Oak Bay the weather was just right for picnicking, being cool and dry. The members of the Y. M. I. held their annual picnic at the Bay and they were joined by many other citizens. A programme of sports and games was gone through, after which the party enjoyed themselves at dancing. The car service in the evening was not as good as it should have been, and consequently it was rather late when some of the picnickers got home.

There was not a boat to be had at noon yesterday, they being all engaged in taking parties up the Arm, on the banks of which there were numerous picnics. There was nothing to mar the pleasure of those who desired to spend the day at the Gorge. The young people of St. Saviour's church spent the day in a body on the Arm.

The Salvation Army spent the day at Oak Bay.

The members of the Union Gun Club held a shoot at the Victoria club grounds. F. H. Hewlings broke 73 out of 75 birds, and Minor and McClure made 25 out of a possible 25.

The children of the P.O. Home were given an outing and enjoyed the day with the Sunday school children.

The members of the Calvary and Emanuel Baptist churches left the city at 8 o'clock in the morning and spent a good twelve hours at McNeill's Bay.

**Harper's For July.**

Several articles of national and patriotic interests give timeliness and special value to the July number of Harper's Magazine. The opening paper, by Charles D. Deshler, relates "How the Declaration was Received in the old Thirteen," being a history, from public documents and other contemporary sources, of the manner in which the Declaration of Independence was published in the colonies and how it was regarded by the people. It is appropriately illustrated with numerous characteristic pictures by Howard Pyle, among which is the frontispiece, representing the "Reading of the Declaration to Washington's Army in New York, July 9, 1776." Another article which all Americans should read is Henry Loomis Nelson's exposition of the causes which have promoted "The Growth of the Federal Power" in this country, and which have gradually strengthened the authority of the central government while diminishing that of the States. Brander Mathews contributes a valuable article, "As to 'American Spelling,'" defending the usage of Americans Against the aspersion of the British critics, and showing some of the absurdities which characterize our modern English orthography. John Heard, Jun., contributes a story entitled "Captain John (1814)," in which he gives a thrilling account of the seafight between British men-of-war and the American privateer General Armstrong at Fayal, in the Azores. Among the art features of the number the illustrations by Edwin A Abbey of Shakespeare's comedy "All's Well that Ends well," will attract universal attention. Andrew Lang's comment upon the play is full of interest. R. Caton Woodville, the distinguished English artist, contributes an article, illustrated by himself, describing "The Capture of Wild Elephants in Mysore" upon the occasion of the late Prince Albert Victor's visit to India. The superb series of Danube papers, "From the Black Forest to the Black Sea," is continued by F. D. Millet, with illustrations from his own drawings and those of Alfred Parsons. Cyril Humphreys-Davenport contributes a valuable article on "Ancient Goldwork," which is appropriately illustrated. James Russell Lowell's second paper on the old English Dramatists is devoted to Marlowe, and will afford much pleasure to all who are interested to the highest forms of literature. William Dean Howells' powerful novel, "The World of Chance," reaches its sixth instalment without any abatement of interest. Mary E. Wilkins' delightful novel, "Jane Feld," is also continued, and is accompanied by a full page illustration drawn by W. T. Smedley. A remarkable story which will provoke no little admiration and comment is "The Soul of Rose Dede," by M. E. M. Davis. The poetry of the number includes "Two Moods," by Thomas Bailey Aldrich; "At the Tomb of Juarez," by Hezekiah Butterworth; "Closed," by Elizabeth Stoddard; and "A Penalty," by Nina F. Layard. Geo. du Maurier's full-page picture represents some of "The Disappointments of Lion Hunting." The Editor's Easy Chair and the Editor's Study are contributed by George William Curtis and Charles Dudley Warner, and the Editor's Drawer is opened with another amusing sketch by Thomas Nelson Page.

**A Brute.**

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—ON THE—

**4th JULY.**

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**The fare for the round trip will be $1.00**
**Children, - - - - - - - - - 50**

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## THE ST. ANDREW'S —AND— CALEDONIAN SOCIETY

Will hold their

**29th Annual Gathering**

At the Society's Grounds, Beacon Hill,

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Dec. 30.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership lately existing between the undersigned Alexander Phillips and Phillip A. Phillips, as soda water manufacturers at No. 8 Yates street, Victoria, under the firm or style of "Phillips & Son," is dissolved as from this date by mutual consent, and the business will henceforth be carried on by the said Phillip A. Phillips and David A. Phillips under the firm or style of "Phillips Brothers," and they will pay all claims against both firms. All debts due to the firm are to be paid to them.

Dated this 20th day of June, 1892.

A. PHILLIPS.
PHIL. A. PHILLIPS.
DAVID A. PHILLIPS.

Witness: C. DUBOIS MASON. je21-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date application will be made by the undersigned to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for permission to erect and extend a wharf on Lots 539 A and 540 A, fronting on James Bay, Victoria Harbor. Plans showing situation of proposed wharf have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works and in the Land Registry office at Victoria, B.C.

GEO. STELLY.
T. F. SINCLAIR.

Victoria, June 8th, 1892. je9-30t

## Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deans and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
63 Government Street, Victoria.
Victoria, B. C., June 2, 1892. ju7-tf

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**NOTICE.**

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B. WILLIAMS, Secretary
Victoria City School Trustees.
Victoria, B.C., May 11th, 1892.

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Dec. 30.

# NELSON TOWN LOTS

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### THE DOMINION CAPITAL.

Dropping a Bill—Increased Indemnity—Treaty With Spain.

OTTAWA, July 2.—The House was in committee all forenoon. Mr. Foster said that one government bill would be dropped. It is likely the one is the judges' salaries bill. He would not say until Sir John Thompson returned on Monday.

The House divided on the item of $2000 for Mr. Burgess' salary as deputy to the Minister of the Interior. It was carried by thirteen of a majority.

Foster announced that under the new treaty with Spain and the States Canada would get the benefit of a minimum tariff.

The Government have decided to defray half Great Britain's cost of the Behring Sea arbitration commission.

On the item of $10,000 for a monument to Sir John Macdonald, Hon. W. Laurier said there was no objection to it, if it was recognized as a principle to be applied equally to both sides. He eulogised Alexander Mackenzie, who, he said, should have a monument too. J. McMullen said the Opposition should not be compelled by the government majority to vote an appropriation for a monument to a political opponent, whose supremacy in Canada for a quarter of a century was regarded by a large section of the people as a national calamity. Hon. Mr. Foster said the government had been considering the question of a grant for a monument to Mackenzie, but was not prepared to give it this session.

The last census bulletin shows an increase of 706,632 in 10 years. Of this increase 92.6 per cent. is credited to the increase in the number born within Canada, and 7.4 to the number of persons whose birthplaces were outside of Canada. From 1871 to 1881 the percentage of the increase in the native born to the then population was 14.2 per cent., and for the last decade it is 10.3 per cent. In British Columbia the French population is only 1 per cent., while in Quebec it is 80 per cent. There are 36,141 native born Columbians in the province, 12,959 English, 4368 Scotch, 2771 Irish, 6567 Americans, 28,910 Chinese, and 437 Newfoundlanders. The Chinese population is 9127 against 4384 ten years ago.

The new regulations of the Inland Revenue Department will prevent the mixing of grain in the elevators. The new grain standards will not be established until next year.

The members of the Junior Conservative Club at Montreal, have petitioned the Senate to grant the English speaking element a larger share of representation.

Fourteen delegates from the Maritime Provinces, including the Hon. Donald Farquharson, of Prince Edward Island, left here to-night on a tour through Manitoba, the Northwest and British Columbia. They will report as to the possibilities west as a field for settlement.

Sixty Conservative members of Parliament interviewed the Government and urged the permanent increase of the sessional indemnity to $1500, on the ground that the duration of parliamentary sessions is becoming longer, necessitating an increased cost of living, and that Canada aids her Federal legislation less than any other country in like circumstances. The additional expense on account of legislation would be $150,000 annually.

The Government will appoint a commercial agent at Yokohama and at one Chinese port.

Mr. Gordon, in the absence of Mr. Prior, has been representing Victoria. He suggested to the Government that Victoria harbor ought to be further dredged and advised an arrangement with Mr. Rithet, the owner of the best dredge.

### CARON'S SILLY EXCUSE.

Why the Government Cut Down the Clerks and Carriers Wages.

The Postmaster-General has given what Col. Prior calls a "silly excuse" for the Government's action in cutting down the postoffice clerks provisional allowance for June from $10 to $7.20.

In answer to Col. Prior's dispatch regarding the matter the Postmaster-general telegraphed that the vote for the provisional allowance for the past fiscal year was insufficient to pay the $10 to each man during June, and that the allowance of $10 per month would continue during the coming year.

This means that the clerks and carriers get $7.30 off their June wages. It is not as bad as at first considered, when it was thought that the provisional allowance had been cut off altogether, but it is bad enough, as the men cannot afford to lose even the $7.30.

When Col. Prior showed the dispatch to a TIMES reporter he said it was a silly excuse. If the vote was not large enough to pay the men, an Order-in-Council should have been passed to obtain the amount and make up the shortage.

The clerks are by no means satisfied with the Pastmaster-General's explanation as they considered that they should be paid the amount. "Just imagine," said one of the clerks "a merchant going to his employees on the last day of the month and telling them that their wages would be less for one month, as he had under estimated the cost of running his establishment."

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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Tenders will be received on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon of Friday, 8th July next, for executing sundry Minor Works and repairs at the Naval establishments at Esquimalt.

Plans, specifications and conditions of contract may be seen at the office of the Clerk of Works in this Yard.

Tenders to be endorsed "Works", and addressed to the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval storekeeper, etc.

Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, June 25, 1892. je25-td

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Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 1st July, 1892. ja1d

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W. S. HAMPSON & CO.

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